

**STRUCTURAL FUNCTIONS OF ANTIMICROBIAL LONG-CHAIN ALCOHOLS AND PHENOLS**

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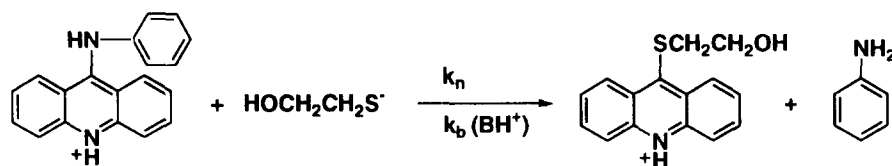
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The structure-antimicrobial activity relationships of a series of long-chain alcohols (C<sub>6</sub> to C<sub>20</sub>) and common naturally occurring alcohols were studied for 15 selected microorganisms. The antimicrobial activity of long-chain alcohols was related to the hydrophobic chain length from the hydrophilic hydroxyl group, and the chain lengths with maximum activity varied depending on the microorganisms tested. The relationships obtained with the alcohols also applied to many other compounds.

**Kinetics and Mechanism of General Acid-catalysed Thiolytic Cleavage of 9-Anilinoacridine**

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BH<sup>+</sup> = HOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>SH, <sup>+</sup>NH<sub>3</sub>OH, H<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup>, morpholinium ion

**Reactions of Diazines with Nucleophiles - Part 4**

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**The Reactivity of 5-Bromo-1,3,6-trimethyluracil with thiolate ions - Substitution Vs X-Philic Vs Single Electron Transfer Reactions.**

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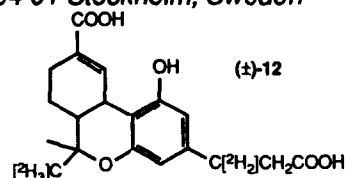
5-Bromo-1,3,6-trimethyluracil(**1**) with alkylthiolate ions under PTC follow nucleophilic substitution and X-philic elimination. **1** with heteroarylthiolate ions give only nucleophilic substitution products, but, with arylthiolate ions follow single electron transfer (SET) mechanism.

**A Urinary Metabolite of Δ<sup>1</sup>-Tetrahydrocannabinol. The First Synthesis of 4'',5''-Bisnor-Δ<sup>1</sup>-Tetrahydrocannabinol-7,3''-dioic Acid, and a Deuterium Labelled Analogue**

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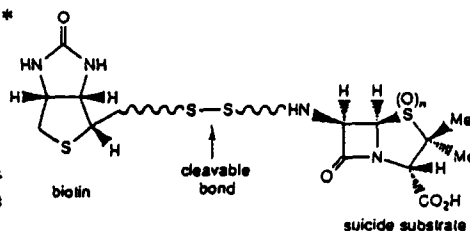
The synthesis of 4'',5''-bisnor-Δ<sup>1</sup>-THC-7,3''-dioic acid, the major dicarboxylated urinary metabolite of Δ<sup>1</sup>-THC in man, is discussed. Methyl 3-(3,5-dihydroxyphenyl)-[3,3-<sup>2</sup>H<sub>2</sub>]-propanoate (**8**) is condensed with [2H<sub>3</sub>]-terpene synthon (**9**) to give (±)-(12). The unlabelled metabolite was obtained using the same synthetic procedure.



# Bifunctional activity labels for selection of filamentous bacteriophages displaying enzymes

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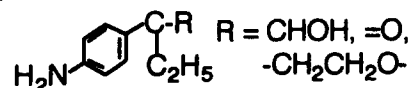
Two bifunctional activity labels of  $\beta$ -lactamases ( $n=2$ ) or PBPs ( $n=0$ ) have been prepared. They feature a  $\beta$ -lactam inhibitor connected to a biotin moiety through a spacer (25-35 Å length) containing a disulfide bridge.



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**POTENTIAL RADIOPROTECTIVE AGENTS. 6. CHALCONES, BENZOPHENONES, ACID HYDRAZIDES, NITRO AMINES AND CHLORO COMPOUNDS. RADIOPROTECTION OF MURINE INTESTINAL STEM CELLS,** R. T. Blickenstaff\*, W. R. Hanson, S. Reddy and R. Witt, *Roudebush VA Medical Center, Departments of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology and of Radiation Oncology, Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, IN 46202 and the Loyola-Hines Department of Radiotherapy, Hines VA Medical Center, Chicago, IL 60141-5000.*

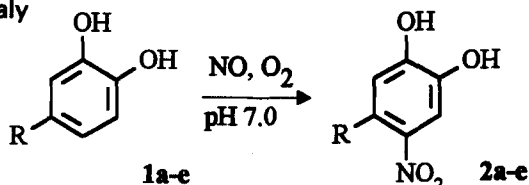
**Abstract:** Using the intestinal clonogenic cell survival assay, the following are highly radioprotective though slightly less so than WR-2721.



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# NITRIC OXIDE-INDUCED NITRATION OF CATECHOLAMINE NEUROTRANSMITTERS: A KEY TO NEURONAL DEGENERATION?

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- a, R = CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>
- b, R = CHOHCH<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>
- c, R = CH<sub>2</sub>CH(NH<sub>2</sub>)COOH
- d, R = H
- e, R = CH<sub>3</sub>

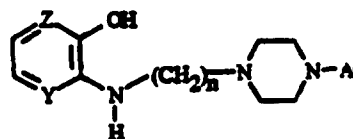
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# N-SUBSTITUTED AMINOHYDROXYPYRIDINES AS POTENTIAL NONOPIOID ANALGESIC AGENTS

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A series of new *N*-substituted aminohydroxypyridines have been synthesized, pharmacologically evaluated and compared with their *N*-substituted oxazolopyridone analogs.



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## Synthesis of Mannostatins A and B from *myo*-Inositol

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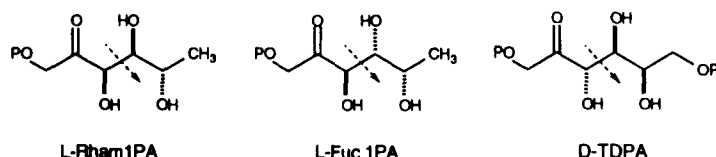
Mannostatins A and B, together with the respective enantiomer and diastereoisomer having the (*S*)-sulfinyl function, were synthesized from *myo*-inositol. Inhibitory activity of the synthetic compounds against jack bean  $\alpha$ -mannosidase was measured.

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## A NEW STRATEGY FOR THE CLONING, OVEREXPRESSION AND ONE STEP PURIFICATION OF THREE DHAP-DEPENDENT ALDOLASES: RHAMNULOSE-1-PHOSPHATE ALDOLASE, FUCULOSE-1-PHOSPHATE ALDOLASE AND TAGATOSE-1,6-DIPHOSPHATE ALDOLASE.

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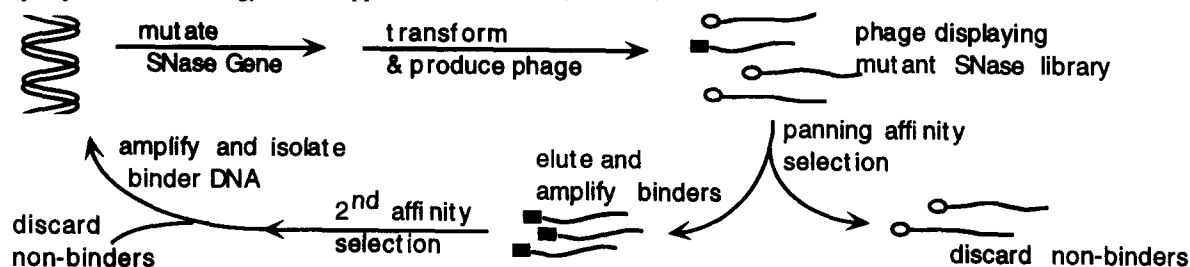


## Random Mutagenesis of Staphylococcal Nuclease and Phage Display Selection

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## Investigation of the Inhibition of Leukotriene A<sub>4</sub> Hydrolase

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**Abstract:** To better understand the interactions between leukotriene A<sub>4</sub> (LTA<sub>4</sub>) hydrolase (3.3.2.6) and the reversible picomolar inhibitor shown to the right, we prepared a number of related compounds. A good metal binding ligand (L) is necessary for sub-micromolar binding and the enzyme prefers the *R* over the *S* enantiomer in contrast to the stereoselectivity displayed towards bestatin, suggesting that these inhibitors bind differently. A possible relative binding geometry which may promote autocatalysis of LTA<sub>4</sub> hydrolysis and an improved synthesis of LTA<sub>4</sub> are presented.

